

An Ideal Christmas Gift

New Lot of Muffs

We can save you money on Muffs. Special values.
Fox Muffs, at \$5.00, 6.75, 7.50, 9.50 and 10.00.
Isabella Opposum Muffs, at \$3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 6.75, 7.50 and 9.50.

Waists

Scotch Flannels, at \$2.50.
Embroidered Nun's Veiling Waists, at \$2.50 and 3.00.

Umbrellas

for ladies, children and gentlemen, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50 and 4.00.

PERRY & CAMP.

Telephone 9-4. 71 and 75 Main Street, Barre, Vt.

To our many friends and patrons we want to take this opportunity of wishing you

A Merry Xmas

and

A Happy New Year

and to thank you for the patronage extended to us during the past year.

All Christmas Gifts purchased up to closing time tonight will be delivered

B. W. HOOKER & CO.,

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MARRION'S

Christmas Cigars

All Size Boxes---\$1.00, \$1.75, \$3.50

Briar Pipes without cases, - - -	25c to 1.50
Briar Pipes in leather cases, - - -	1.00 to 10.00
Genuine Meerschaum Pipes, 3.50, 4, 5, 6.50 to 25.00	
Tobacco Pouches, - - -	25c to 2.50
Cigar Cases, - - -	25c to 4.00
Fancy Tobacco Jars, - - -	1.25 to 3.00
Turkish Water Pipes, - - -	3.50 to 6.00
Cigar Holders, - - -	.15 to 6.00
Calabash Pipes, - - -	4.00 to 8.00
Wood and Leather Pipe Racks, - - -	50c to 6.00

Largest and most complete line of Pipes and Smokers Articles in the State of Vermont

AT MARRION'S

Corner Cigar Store

Holiday Shoppers Headquarters

We feel that our store is too well known to need enumeration of the many useful holiday gifts we have for you. "Suffice to say."

Our stock furnishes innumerable suggestions. All your gift wants can easily be supplied from our store, our entire stock being bought on import enables us to give you better values than we could if we bought through jobbers.

"Suggestion". Come right to our store where the goods show for themselves, a much better satisfaction will be obtained than for us to attempt to show them to you through the newspaper.

NOTE—Please remember we will not redeem Rebate Checks until Monday, December 27th.

Everybody Welcome at our Store

C. N. KENYON & CO.'S

CASH BARGAIN STORE

185-187 North Main Street. (Telephone 346-12) Barre, Vermont.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Reliable furs sold at special prices this week at Vaughan's.
Miers' sanitary barber shop is open until 10 to-night. Come in.
Frank Gougeon went to Rouses Point, N. Y., to-day to visit relatives.
See the nobby Christmas umbrella at Perry's—for men and women.

If it is a house coat or bath robe, go to the Frank McWhorter company.
Saturday, Christmas day, the stores in the city will be closed all day.
Normand's skating rink will be open to-morrow afternoon and evening.

Buy your fruit at the United Fruit Store. Delivered everywhere in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sartelle went to Boston to-day to spend the holidays with friends.
E. L. Scott went to Randolph to-day to join Mrs. Scott at the home of her parents.

Nothing is more acceptable for a Christmas gift than a box of Mascott's fresh candies.
If it's a piano for Christmas, Gould's fixed prices save you about one third of your money.

Mrs. Joseph Bianchi and son, Paul, went to Waterbury this morning for a visit with relatives.
Grant E. Scott of Burlington, a senior in the university of Vermont, is a guest of Arthur J. Averill.

Miss Winona Corry of New York is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. D. A. Perry, of Franklin street.
Miss Imogene Ruddmann returned to her home in Holyoke, Mass., to-day after a visit with friends in this city.

Henry Soliani of the university of Vermont arrived last night to spend the holidays at his home in this city.
The Montpelier Gun club will hold a "shoot" Saturday morning. Members of the Auto Gun club are invited.

Until January 1, a handsome calendar will be given with every cash order, F. W. Langlois, 34 Granite street. Telephone 424-11.
For real banjos, mandolins and guitars, go to Gould's. These are not the Christmas tree kind, but make a most acceptable present.

The line-up against the Waterbury basket ball team will be Halvors, Searls, Given, Oliver and Cooper. Don't forget Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hunt returned to their home in North Haven, N. H., yesterday, after a visit at the home of their son, Arthur A. Hunt.

If you want your husband to be really pleased, buy him a gun cabinet or shooting glasses. They have these and many other nice gifts at Shepard's.
The N. E. O. P. degree staff will meet for practice in the Worthen hall Monday evening at 7:30 sharp. Let every member be present. Per order D. M.

The funeral of the late John F. McDonald will be held from the Congregational church, instead of the residence, Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.
The Misses Mayme Magee, Gladys Lane, Elsie Bashaw and Mrs. Myrtle Drannen, nurses from the state hospital at Waterbury, were visitors in town yesterday.

The Christmas exercises of the Bontwell Sunday school will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 at the schoolhouse. All are welcome to make the trip a family Christmas tree.
Special reduced prices on fruit this week. Nice, fresh sweet oranges, 15c a dozen, and up to 50c a dozen. All kinds of fresh fruit here at lowest prices. United Fruit Store.

Smith & Cummings are prepared to exchange new money for old money, for those who wish to use it for Christmas presents. They will exchange quarters, five, ten and fifty-cent pieces and bills.
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas G. Roben would be pleased to meet their friends Tuesday afternoon and evening, December 28, at the home of Thomas Sheriffs, to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary.

The steamship ticket office of N. B. Ballard, in Miles' granite building, will close at 3 p. m., excepting on Mondays and Saturdays, as before. Mondays and Saturdays at 8 p. m. Closed all day Christmas.

Dr. Z. S. Archambault, with his daughter and grandson, left last night for a short visit to Fall River and Boston, Mass., and Providence, R. I. At Fall River, he will visit his brother, returning home Monday.
Henry Watkins, who has been working at his trade of granite cutting in Chicago for the past year, arrived last night to spend the holidays at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Watkins, of 9 Summer street.

The Bijou is making a feature to-night of presenting two chickens each hour to persons in the audience. Somebody will thus receive some nice Christmas dinners. The entertainment there will be particularly good to-day and Saturday.
The Christmas services will be held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, December 25, at 10:30 o'clock and 7 p. m. A two-part chorus will be rendered by the girls of the Sunday school at the evening service. The chorus choir will render Christmas music at both services.

Luigi Barberi was arrested this morning by Officer Carlo on a warrant charging him with breach of the peace for an alleged altercation with G. Ferrel and D. Fusio in the Co-operative store on Wednesday. He will be arraigned in court Monday morning. Bail of \$50 was furnished by his attorney, R. A. Hoar.
Dreamland presents again to-night Gilbertson's orchestra. Some new, catchy music will be played. A new drama, "The Warrior's Sacrifice," is billed for to-day and to-morrow. It is a fine war picture, containing nine complete acts. The whole show will be new and excellent to-night. Special program Christmas day and evening.

Remember the Christmas concert in the Presbyterian church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Parents and friends desiring to present gifts from the tree may send them to the church Friday afternoon and evening. Everyone is invited to the concert. Let none of the young people stay away because they have been absent from Sunday school or rehearsals. All come. No admission. Collection to defray expenses.

S. J. Segel and company have in their window a big bottle filled with white beans, and will give away as a New Year's gift to their customers \$10 in gold to those estimating the number of beans contained in the bottle. Five dollars in gold to the one estimating the exact number, and \$2.50 pieces to the two estimating the next nearest numbers. Come and give an estimate. Contest begins to-day and will close January 9, 1940.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Get Christmas holly at Drown's. Lot sample belts for 50c at Vaughan's. Read Drown's big advertisement in to-day's Times.
Ladies' and gents' toilet articles at the Red Cross.
Vaughan Store open every evening until Christmas.

Ladies' coat sweaters from the Frank McWhorter company.
Fancy neckwear in boxes, styles that are only found at Vaughan's.
James Bennett went to Hardwick to-day for a visit with relatives.

Some handsome Mexican drawn-work you must look at, at Perry's.
Gold and silver crucifixes and rosary beads at Holmes', the jeweler.
Miss Jennie Fredrickson of Plainfield visited friends in this city to-day.

The finest line of jewelry at the lowest prices. Holmes', the jeweler.
Charles Bixby went to Lancaster, N. H., to-day for a visit with friends.
Nice bananas, 20c a dozen, 18 for 25c. Extra nice, 25c. United Fruit Store.

Special menu for Christmas dinner at City hotel. Price, 50 cents, for all.
Fred Baird went to Waitsfield to-day to spend the holidays with his family.
Mr. and Mrs. Murray A. Love went to Richmond to-day for a visit at her home.

Pipe racks, tobacco pouches, tobacco jars and everything for the smoker, at Marion's.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Sartelle went to Boston to-day to spend the holidays with friends.
Cigars in holiday packages, cigar cases, cigar holders and best pipes, lowest price, at Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Prindle went to Waitsfield to-day to spend Christmas with relatives.
Gilbert Dwinell and Bernis L. Cameron of Marshfield were business visitors in this city to-day.
Public Scotch dance in Miles hall Christmas eve. Dancing from 8 until 2. Gents 75c, ladies free.

Togo is the favorite smoke of more men than any other cigar in Barre; 5,000 smoked in Barre every week.
Don't get left on anything you want from the Dodge creamery; we close at 11 a. m. Saturday, December 25.
There is no place in Vermont where your dollar has the purchasing power in musical instruments as at Gould's, 38 Spaulding street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilman of Claremont, N. H., arrived last night to visit at the home of Mrs. Gilman's mother, Mrs. Mary Barclay of Park street.
With each sale amounting to \$2 or over, C. S. Andrews of the People's Shoe Store gives a beautiful Barre souvenir, "a thing of beauty and a joy forever."
H. M. Ritchie, who has been employed for several months at the Homer Pitts store, has completed his labors there and left to-day for Pittsfield, Mass., where he has a position.

C. S. Andrews places on sale at 3 p. m. to-day, Tuesday, 24 pairs of women's Queen Quality and Gibson Girl enamel and patent shoes, formerly sold for \$3.50 and \$3.00, until sold, at \$2.00 the pair.
Among arrivals at the Hotel Otis yesterday were Charles Smith, William Edwards, Newark, N. J.; S. E. Brownell, Burlington; George Sully, Madisonville, N. Y.; E. A. Warren, C. B. Whitney, Boston; Thomas Harwood, Pittsfield, N. Y.; L. J. Hart, Danville, Que.; Mr. and Mrs. L. Brennan, Albany, N. Y.

PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN.

J. M. Ashley to Head Company in Burlington.

Burlington, Dec. 24.—The election of a captain of Company M, Vermont National Guard, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Capt. O. H. Parker, was held last evening in the armory and resulted in the unanimous election of First Lieut. J. M. Ashley to the position. Second Lieut. M. B. Gill was elected to the office of first lieutenant and First Serg. C. C. Girard was promoted to the second lieutenancy.
The election of Lieutenant Ashley to the office at the head of the company has caused general satisfaction, both because of his fitness for the position and because of his long and meritorious service with the company. Captain Ashley has a longer term of service with the regiment than any other member in the company. He enlisted at the reorganization of the regiment at the close of the Spanish-American war and has ever since been identified with it.

NEW FIRE ALARM.

Hardwick Now Has an Up-to-date System Installed.

Hardwick, Dec. 24.—L. W. Bills, a representative of the Gamewell company of New York, has just completed the work of installing a modern electric fire alarm system similar to those in use in the cities and larger villages of the state. The system consists of a two circuit storage battery switch board located at the New England telephone office and connected with various alarms in different parts of the village. The main alarm is the new bell which has recently been hung in the belfry of the Congregational church, cost of which was borne jointly by the village and the church. There are ten boxes in the streets where the alarm may be rung in and ten tappers in the homes of firemen.

Special Meeting, Woodmen.

Special meeting of Modern Woodmen Saturday evening at 7:30 in their hall, to make arrangements for the funeral of John McDonald.
John Rowley, Consul.
A. J. Loranger, Clerk.

There will be a special communication of Granite Lodge, No. 33, Saturday, December 25, at 1:30 p. m., for purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, J. F. McDonald. Per order, W. M.

Court Granite City, F. of A., will meet Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of our late brother, John F. McDonald.

There will be a regular meeting of Barreerie, No. 1573, F. O. E., Monday evening at 7:30. Len Averill, secretary.

A. P. ABBOTT & CO. A. P. ABBOTT & CO. A. P. ABBOTT & CO.



What Are We Doing for Christmas Shoppers?

We are trying to supply them with the best assortment of staple and fancy Dry Goods that we have ever offered and to make sales larger and to encourage easy buying we are taking a part of our profit from the price usually asked for same goods. This does not apply to everything but to a great many things in our stock today. The following are some of them.

For Christmas

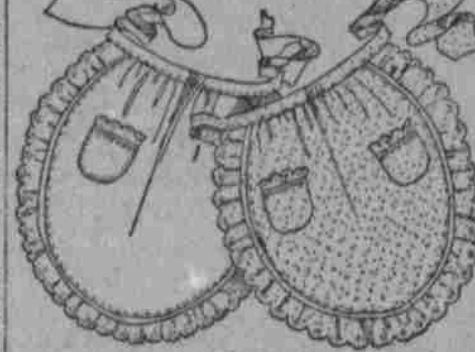
Our line of Ribbons is priced very closely just now, and the quality is of that kind that pleases the customer. It will please anyone who may receive it.
These Ribbons work well in fancy work and are good enough for neckwear or hair ribbons, and the price is 5c, 10c, 15c and 19c.
Our Neckwear was bought right, and when the price could be reduced we have done it. You will find many pieces at 25c that are up to 50c kinds, and there are a few 75c fancy collars, the latest, at 50c. This makes a good purchase.

We have very low prices on all kinds of new Hair Ornaments and Hat Pins.
Our Cut Glass is now but two-thirds of its original price. This we are closing out.
Punch Bowls with glasses to match, also a stand for howl, all for only \$2.45. About half price.

Handkerchiefs in several kinds where the price has been made 25 per cent. less than ever before.
You can buy a good Gingham or yard-wide Percale at 10c; also several patterns of 10c Outing now at 8c per yard.

Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Sweaters are good Christmas purchases. Ladies cannot have too many pairs of Kid Gloves. Ask for the W. B. Gloves.

Aprons



Last season we had only about half enough of these fancy Aprons, and, from the way in which they are going this season, the story later will be much the same.
We have very pretty Round Aprons, same as cut, for 25c; and Aprons of spotted muslin, same at cut, for 50c.
Large Aprons for table work or housework in fine muslin at 25c and 50c.
We have a very large, fine Muslin Apron, with hemstitched tucks, for the finer trade, at 50c each.

For Christmas

Towels make beautiful gifts and are appreciable ones. They are always of value and show it.

We have a large assortment of Linen Towels in both huck and damask at 25c each.
Here is a chance to get a bargain, as we commence on Tuesday morning to sell all of our Linen Drawnwork and Linen Embroidered Pieces in all sizes. All classes of Mexican Work at 20 per cent. discount, making a \$1.00 article cost but 80c. Some of these are slightly soiled, but not hurt in the least. A good chance to get a trade.

For Christmas

Our assortment of Furs and Garments is very large. We are always anxious to make sales, and this season we are more anxious than usual and have taken this into consideration in making our Christmas prices on these goods.
We can sell more goods at a little less price and you can better afford to buy when it represents to you a saving.
If you have a Waist to buy, don't forget that 75c buys any Waist on our sale table. All fresh and new.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

See the \$1.00 jet belts for 75c at Vaughan's.
Sweet Florida oranges, 15c a dozen, two dozen for 25c. United Fruit Store.
Molasses kisses, two pounds for 25c. All other kinds of fresh candies at the United Fruit Store.
Christmas concert in the Presbyterian church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited; no admission.
Will the girls who are in the exercise, "Praise and Adoration," please come to the Baptist church at 6:30 to-night, sharp.

The F. B. Cate Real Estate agency has sold for W. H. Murphy his house on Merchant street to William A. Richardson of this city; consideration, \$1 and other valuable considerations.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

The churches have their Christmas celebrations this evening. The annual Christmas sermon at the Congregational church will be given Sunday morning; union service in the evening at the same place, in which the Christmas idea will be carried out.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

WANTED—Young man to do full-timing and photograph work in granite office. Barre, Hayes & Sandstrom, Barre, Vt.

Going at Strike Prices

Good Turkeys, per lb. 26c
Good Geese, per lb. 17c
Chickens and Fowls, 18c to 20c and 22c

Pascal Celery, per bh. 20c
White Boston Celery, per bh. 15c
Lettuce, 10c
Radishes, 5c
Malaga Grapes, 2 lbs. 25c
Dates, 3 lbs. 25c
Figs, per lb. 18c and 20c
Pop Corn, 6 lbs. 25c
Oleomargarine, per lb. 20c, 25c
Bananas, nice and yellow, dozen, 25c
Good Florida Oranges, not the smallest ones, 18 for 25c
California and Florida Oranges, doz., 20, 25, 35, 40c
Best Ribbon Candy, 2 lbs. 25c
Mixed Nuts, per lb. 15c
Castinos, 2 lbs. for 25c

New Money

We shall give out all new money for change

Friday

SMITH & CUMINGS

Good Things to Eat From the Food Department Store

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to All

While extending the compliments of the Season to our host of friends, we announce, also, our readiness for the Holiday trade. We've the best things to wear for men, boys and little men, the country produces. Our prices are the lowest it is possible to name, and no pains will be spared to render each patron the best of service.

The Frank McWhorter Company

We Clean, Press and Repair Clothing Fur Coats to Rent

Telephone call, 215-4.

Blanchard Block, 20 and 22 No. Main St. One Price Men's and Boys' Outfitters.

Xmas Fruits and Nuts

Good trades here

Good trades here

Florida Grape Fruit—fresh and Fancy, 3 for 25c
Best Malaga Cluster Grapes, per package 25c
Nice Sweet Oranges, 20 for 25c
Fancy Florida Oranges, doz., 40c
Large choice Malaga Grapes, 15c lb., two for 25c
Cal Soft Shell Walnuts, new crop, lb. 40c
New Castanias, lb. 15c
New Mixed Nuts, lb. 15c
Xmas Ribbon Candy, fresh and fine, 2 lbs. for 25c

GOOD VALUES

Large Queen Olives, per pint 20c
Stuffed Olives, in bulk, per pint 25c
20 good sized Florida Oranges for 25c
California Navel Oranges, per dozen 35 and 40c
Fancy Pop Corn that pops, 6 pounds for 25c
Soft Shell new Walnuts, per pound 18c
New Mixed Nuts, per pound 15c
Xmas Candy, two and three pounds for 25c
The best dates, three pounds for 25c
New Figs, per pound 15c

Don't forget the Blue Label Canned goods when you want the best in fruit and vegetables.

Our usual full line of Poultry, Meats, Celery, Lettuce, Cucumbers, Radishes and Vegetables.

Don't forget that this store is closed all day Saturday.

F. D. LADD COMPANY